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TO: Each Health Deputy

FROM: Wesley Ford, Director 
Office of Ambulatory Care

SUBJECT: PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP (PPP) PROGRAM

This is to inform you of our intent to implement the "Discretionary Use of Maximum Obligation for Patient Care Related Uses" provision for the following Public-Private Partnership (PPP) Program contractors:

- East Valley Community Health Center
- Los Angeles Free Clinic
- Northeast Valley Health Corporation
- Universal Health Foundation
- Visiting Nurse Community Services

This provision allows contractors projected to utilize at least 90% of their maximum obligation to purchase medical supplies, provide patient education, or implement disease management tools in an amount not to exceed 5% of their maximum obligation. The agencies listed above meet this criterion and have been approved by my office to implement the provision.

These one-time expenditures shall be implemented via administrative amendments approved by County Counsel, and will only be effective for this Fiscal Year.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (213) 240-8135.

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c: Chief Administrative Officer
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